



ALEXANDRIA.

SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 27.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., August 27, 1887.
Intelligence here to-day from Atlanta, Ga., is to the effect that it has transpired there that the committee of arrangements for the President's reception have not invited ex-President Davis, and that that knowledge has produced no little adverse comment, not only there, but wherever it has reached throughout the entire South, inasmuch as it indicates that the managers related to would inflict an implied insult upon the most distinguished man in all the South, lest some South bayers in the North might find fault with them.

The appointment of a U. S. marshal for the eastern district of Tennessee was announced two or three days ago. What was the matter with his predecessor, Mr. J. J. Ives, an appointee of this administration, no body seems to know.

Mr. Nichols, an appointee at the customs house at Galveston, Tex., is the latest announced candidate for the office of doorkeeper of the U. S. House of Representatives. He, it is said, will obtain the support of the entire Texas delegation, and will thus still further reduce the strength of the present doorkeeper, Mr. Donaldson, who is a candidate for re-election.

The first meeting of the Virginia democratic association of this city, after their summer recess, was held last night. Routine business only was transacted. There was an informal talk about the platform adopted at the recent democratic State convention of Virginia, and though the general comment was decidedly unfavorable, still, as the association, though composed of Virginians, and though its sole object is to help the democratic cause in Virginia, and though it does help materially to carry some of the close counties in that State, as its headquarters are not in Virginia the members present deemed any formal reference to the platform outside of the association's province.

Representative Mills, of Texas, who, as stated in this correspondence yesterday, will probably be the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the next U. S. House of Representatives, says that committee will certainly strive to effect a reduction in the revenue of the country, but that the reduction must be made in the tariff on the necessities of life, and not on luxuries.

A Baltimore democrat, here to-day, referring to the statement made by a republican from this city to the effect that Mr. Brooks would not accept the republican nomination for Governor of Maryland, as mentioned in this correspondence yesterday, said the republican referred to was right about Mr. Brooks' refusal to be bled, and that he had accepted the nomination with the distinct understanding that he was not to be called on for any money.

A Boston democrat in this city to-day, says the fact that the democratic collector of customs at Boston has recently stated, in effect, that though all his subordinates are the same offensive republican party, whom he found there when he took charge of his office, that their retention does not seem at all objectionable to the President, and that he will not remove them until he shall be informed that their removal is desired by the President, has tended in no small degree to increase the democratic lukewarmness, dissatisfaction and disaffection that had previously existed in that city, and that though that statement may win the President the support of a few anti-Boston republicans in Massachusetts, it will less him that of hundreds of men who have heretofore been active and efficient workers in the democratic cause.

CHARGES OF PLAGIARISM.—There is no little excitement in Richmond among church people, especially of the Baptist denomination, over the charge of plagiarism made in Atlanta against Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne, a leading Baptist minister there, and who two years ago was pastor of the largest Baptist church in Richmond. The Georgia papers caught Dr. Hawthorne by bringing out the parallel columns on him, and the Richmond *State* copied them just at the time Dr. Hawthorne reached Richmond on a visit. When the prohibition fight was agitating Richmond so much a few years ago, the *State* warmly opposed prohibition, and Dr. Hawthorne advocated it, and finally wound up by denouncing in some of his speeches Mr. Beebe, the editor of the paper, from the pulpit, because the *State* editor had fought a duel. The editor of the *State* retorted in a card in which he reproached Hawthorne for his intemperate and unchristian language. He said that he was only protected by the profession of which he was such an unworthy member. Before Dr. Hawthorne left Richmond charges of plagiarism were whispered there but hushed up.

ACTORS STRIKE.—There was a fair audience at the National Theatre, Washington, last night, to witness the romantic drama "Russia," but four of the principal actors struck for their salaries just before the curtain went up, and the play collapsed. About six hundred dollars is said to be due for salaries, etc., which would probably have been paid had the week been played out. Four of the actors demanded \$30 each on account of salaries due, and positively refused to go on unless the money was forthcoming. Frank Bange, the leading man, it is said, agreed to play the week out and take his chances, share and share alike, but the four strikers would not agree to a compromise. After the audience had been kept waiting until nearly nine o'clock they were informed that the play was stranded. The property man and stage carpenters attached the actors' wardrobe for their share of the spoils, and the police were called in to preserve order.

THE ACCIDENT ON THE V. M. R. R.—Senator Butler, of South Carolina, was badly shaken up the other day on the Virginia Midland, near Orange Court House, in a collision between a freight and passenger train. The Senator maintains stoutly that such collisions are inexcusable. Somebody is to blame, and he thinks it is the general management. The managers are not sufficiently close to their men, he says, and they work them too long. He proposes, therefore, in the interest of the traveling public, to offer at the next session of Congress an amendment to the interstate commerce law prohibiting the railroads from requiring employees to work more than ten or twelve hours consecutively. The government, he says, regulates steamboat travel with great severity, and there is no reason why it should not try to make travel on land equally safe.

AN OLD DESERTER.—An old man named Robert Terrell, who is said to have deserted from the English army on the eve of the battle of Waterloo, and afterwards lived in Richmond, is on his way back to England, having been granted a pardon by Queen Victoria. Some of the New York papers give a long account of Terrell and his life in the English army, and they put his age at ninety-three years. If Terrell ever lived in Richmond it must have been over sixty years ago, and there is hardly a person here now who remembers him.—*State*.

There were 600,000 bushels of cranberries raised in the United States last year. There were 150 business failures in the United States the past week.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Czar and Czarina of Russia have arrived at Copenhagen, and met with a grand reception.

The excursion yacht *Monarch* capsized in the British Channel, yesterday, and fifteen persons were drowned.

About sixty applicants for admission to the Military Academy reported at West Point for examination yesterday.

The annual report of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company shows the earnings over operating expenses to be \$11,000,000.

The New York prohibition convention at Syracuse yesterday declared against high license and in favor of woman suffrage.

The Right Rev. R. W. B. Elliott, Episcopal Bishop of Western Texas, died at Seawater, last night, after a protracted illness.

Mr. Walter B. Brooks has accepted the nomination for Governor tendered him by the republican State convention of Maryland.

Indian Chief Colorow, with his band, are not corralled, as previously reported, but entrenched in the Colorado mountains, and are giving the troops considerable trouble.

Debate was continued in the House of Commons on Mr. Gladstone's motion for the withdrawal of the proclamation of the Irish League last night and the motion was defeated by 78 majority.

Rev. Edward F. Doane, the missionary of the American Board at Ponape, in the Caroline Islands, who was imprisoned by the Spanish authorities, has been released, but it is believed his troubles are not yet over.

Tom Woolfolk, the Bibb county, Ga., assassin, made an exhibition of feeling over the wholesale slaughter of his family yesterday for the first time since his arrest. A photograph of the dead people produced the display.

The Grand Army men participating in the procession in honor of the annual reunion of the Society of the Army of West Virginia at Wheeling yesterday refused to pass under a banner containing a portrait of President Cleveland, and trailed their colors.

The entire bar of Huntington having petitioned Judge McGinnis for the release from jail of Congressman Eustace Gibson at a late hour last night, after he had retired, the court granted the petition as to the imprisonment, but insisted upon the payment of the \$50 fine.

Dr. J. T. Holcomb, who recently located at Fisher's Point, Kanawha county, W. Va., disappeared last Saturday. He left home to make some collections, and was traced to Cohens by his wife, who arrived in Charleston yesterday. She fears that he has been foully dealt with.

Rev. Otis A. Glazebrook, whose name has been connected with the Connecticut clerical scandal, denounces the entire story as an unmitigated falsehood, concocted by three irresponsible, prejudiced boys. For some reason—what, he cannot discover—Mr. Glazebrook says the people of the village of Durham have conceived a violent dislike for him.

In the Georgia Legislature, yesterday, a resolution was passed taking away the \$8,000 appropriated to the Atlanta University unless that institute shall give the Governor satisfactory assurance that it will not accept white pupils. It is believed by a great many that this resolution will be passed by the Senate, and that the Glean bill will not be put on its passage.

It is reported that last Saturday another attempt was made to assassinate the Czar. A nihilist, disguised as an officer of the guards, approached the Imperial Guards while they were escorting the Czar on his journey from St. Petersburg to Krasnoyarsk and twice fired a revolver at him. The first shot went wide of its mark, but the second perforated the Czar's coat. The assassin was promptly seized and disarmed.

Dispatches from Paris state that thousands of people are encamped in the streets awaiting the execution of Pranzini, the murderer of three defenseless women. President Grevy has so far been deaf to every appeal made in behalf of the murderer, although he has been pressed from many influential quarters to commute the sentence. The cry of the Paris populace is for Pranzini's blood, and should a respite be granted, which is not at all probable, there are great fears of rioting in the streets of Paris.

The reprieve of John Thomas Ross, the Baltimore burker, who was to have been executed yesterday, reached the sheriff in time to stay the execution. Ross received the intelligence without emotion. The reprieve was granted upon the recommendation of a physician, who says Ross is insane, and of the Judge before whom he was tried. The Governor says if a jury or a committee shall find Ross is of sound mind he will not further interpose, and the execution will take place on the 9th of September.

REV. W. S. RAINFORD'S BEAR HUNT IN THE ROCKIES.—We stalked two small grizzlies in the "open" one evening. They were busy turning over stones, in order to get the grubs and worms underneath, and when we managed to get unseen, within forty yards, at first fire each received a bullet broadside behind the shoulder; but, seemingly none the worse, they both turned down-hill, as bears will when wounded, nine times out of ten, and made for the ravine, where they had evidently come. This gave me a nice open shot as they passed, and No. 1 rolled over dead; not so No. 2. Before he got a hundred yards away I hit him three times. My rifle was a fifty-calibre Bullard repeater, the one I have used for years—one hundred grains of powder and a solid ball. At the fourth shot he fell all of a heap, seemingly dead. To save trouble we laid hold of the first one, which lay about seventy yards above the second, and dragged him down the steep incline to where this second lay, for convenience in skinning. We got within a few feet of the bear, when he jumped and on one hind leg and one fore went for Frank. The attack was tremendously unexpected and sudden. At a glance you could see that the poor, plucky brute was past hurting any one, for one arm was smashed and his lower jaw was shot almost completely away. Yet I tell the simple truth when I say that for a few strides he actually caught up to Frank, who made most admirable time; then he suddenly fell dead. We examined that bear carefully; he was a small one, not weighing more than two hundred pounds, and was shot all to pieces. Each of the five bullets I had fired had struck him; one hip and one forearm were broken, the lower jaw shot away; there was one shot in the neck, and one, through and through, behind the shoulder. It is never safe to fool with a grizzly; he may run away as fast as an elk, or he may not. He may drop to the first well planted bullet, or he may stand up till blown almost to pieces.—*W. S. Rainford, D. D., in Scribner's Magazine for September.*

Crops Destroyed.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
CULPEPER, C. H., Va., August 26.—While Mr. E. M. Hite was engaged to-day in threshing out wheat and oats, the crop of Mr. Taylor Perry, about three miles from this town, the stack yard took fire, destroying several stacks of oats and part of the threshed-out wheat that had not been gotten away. The machine was destroyed, which is a considerable loss to Mr. Hite, though partially insured. C. W. G.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

We notice with pleasure that Hon. R. A. Coghill is a candidate for the Legislature in Amherst county.

A primary election to nominate a democratic candidate for Prince William county for the House of Delegates was held in that county to-day.

Col. Lewis Porter, living near Fauquier Springs, for the third time within a short period, Thursday night had his barn burned by an incendiary.

Thomas Wells, a white citizen of Greensville county, has been committed to jail at Hicksford, charged with killing his child while under the influence of liquor.

The contract for filling in the trestles between Orange and Charlottesville on the C. & R. railroad, has been awarded to Messrs. Adams & Co., and will cost about \$140,000.

Democratic primaries will be held in Fauquier county on the 31 and in Culpeper county on the 10th of September to nominate candidates for the House of Delegates.

John T. West, an aged and prominent citizen of Berkeley, near Norfolk, died Thursday from paralysis. Mr. West was a merchant of Portsmouth and Norfolk in former days.

The elegant private residence of Mr. John L. Schoolcraft, at the northwest corner of Franklin and Jefferson streets, in Richmond, has been purchased by Mr. Emanuel Raab, for \$24,000 cash.

In the New York Stock market yesterday a decline of 44 in Richmond Terminal led to reports of liquidation by Alfred Sully, and other operators were mentioned as sellers. Mr. Sully said he had not sold a share.

A slight personal rencontre occurred in the court house in Rappahannock at last court between Dr. Millan and Mr. Moffett, Commonwealth's attorney. No serious damage was done, and both parties were fined by the judge.

The fish chum and oil factory of Capt. Noble H. Timbs, at Fairport, Northumberland county, together with a lot of chum and twenty barrels of oil, was destroyed by fire last Wednesday night. The fire is supposed to have been caused by sparks from the furnace blown out by the very high wind prevailing at the time. Loss \$2,000; no insurance.

A painful accident befell Mr. Charles Keys, the proprietor of Sinclair's Mill, near Brentsville, on Wednesday. It is supposed that while engaged in arranging some part of the machinery a crowbar, which he was using, caught in a revolving wheel and struck Mr. Keys a severe blow on the head. His injuries are reported serious and possibly fatal.—*Manassas Gazette.*

The time for laying the cornerstone of the Lee monument at Richmond has been changed from October 26 to the 27th of the same month. Gen. Beauregard has accepted the place of chief marshal, also an invitation tendered him by Hon. John S. Wise to be the guest of that gentleman during his stay in Richmond. Capt. James Barron Hope, editor of the *Norfolk Landmark*, is to read a dedication poem.

W. W. Jones, of Woodstock, was taken to the Western Lunatic Asylum, at Staunton yesterday. He recently acquired notoriety as being the man for whom Senator Riddleberger was counsel, and obtained a verdict of insanity. This led to the placard being placed on Jones, and he was thus paraded through the streets. Jones had been before the court several times. Once he was ordered to leave the county, which he did, but returned in six weeks.

It has been estimated that one ton of coal will produce fifteen thousand feet of gas.

Base Ball.

The record of championship games played by the League clubs to date is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
Detroit	56	35
Boston	48	40
Chicago	52	36
Pittsburgh	37	51
Philadelphia	42	41
Washington	35	53
New York	51	41
Indianapolis	28	63

In the American Association the St. Louis club leads, followed by Louisville, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Brooklyn, Athletic, Metropolitan and Cleveland.

* * * Piles, fistula, rupture and stricture radically cured. Books of particulars ten cents in stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

MRS. WINKLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhoea, griping in the bowels, and wind-colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a bottle. mv5-1yrM.W&S

In Memoriam.

At Warrenton, Pa., Aug. 14, 1887, of rapid consumption, ANNA J., daughter of the late A. Eliza (3) and W. H. Muir, and beloved child, by adoption, of her uncle and aunt the late James and Jane Green, of Alexandria, Va. Her remains were brought to her home, in this city, and interred at Ivy Hill Cemetery, from the residence of Major J. W. Green.

"Precious, precious to Jehovah is His children's holy sleep; He is with them, in the passing through the waters cold and deep; Everlasting love enfolds them, softly, sweetly to His breast; Everlasting love receives them to His glory and His rest."

LIST OF LETTERS.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice August 27. Persons calling for letters will please say they are advertised.

Advertised letters, not called for within thirty days, will be sent to the dead letter office.
Beach, Mrs. Charlie
Bostwright, E. J.
Bowen, Mrs. Harriet
Brown, C.
Burke, Miss Mary
Burrill, Edward F.
Carter, Miss Annie
Claggett, James
Cockrell, Mrs. Hiram
Davis, Miss Clara C.
Davis, Mrs. Lizzie
Dean, Chas.
Dowell, Arthur E.
Fellows, H.
Garner, Mrs. Rachel
Grison, Mrs. Mahalia
Green, Mrs. Nannie
Harris, Charlie
Higgins, Block & Co.
Jackson, Miss Mattie
Jonkins, Mrs. Maria
Johnson, Miss Susie
Johnson, Harry
Johnson, Mrs. Lucinda
Jones, M.
King, H.
Lincoln, Mrs. Mary A.
Mabel, C. E.
Moon, Harry B.
Newby, Mrs. Agnes C.
Payne, Miss Ellen
Palmer, C. S.
Purvis, Miss Celestia
Portner, Robert B. B. Club, Ross, Mrs. Maria
Robinson, Rush
Sheppard, D. B.
Slade, Washington
Spriggs, Mrs. Mary
Stephens, Mrs. Susan
Washington, Hiram
Gen. Man Pulman CarCo
W. W. HERBERT, P. M.

FINE PERFUMERY.

Something New.
Elise Belle of Scotland, Trailing Arbutus, Tally Ho, Marchal Niel Rose and Alpine Violet, at je28 JOHN D. H. LUNT'S.

TUNNERS' HOLDER, Sheet Zinc, Bar Lead and stock always at JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS', Alexandria, Va. ang20

COFFEES.—We do not sell package Coffees; sell only pure Coffees, freshly roasted and ground at our store. J. C. MILBURN.

CASTORINE! CASTORINE!—Bain's ever ready Castorine, a perfect oil for Buggies, Wagons, Carts, &c. Never Gums; Never Chills. For sale by [je9] W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.



TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—All the conservatives, including Lord Randolph Churchill, supported the Government in last night's vote, as did Lord Hartington and Messrs. Bright and Russell. The bulk of the unionists voted with the Gladstonians and Parnellites. Messrs. Jos. and Richard Chamberlain, Collings, Williams, of Birmingham, Hingley and Buchanan also voted with the minority. During the evening Mr. Bright had a short talk with Mr. Gladstone. There were only 82 pairs on the vote, and a few absentees unpaired.

The *Standard* says it is well that it should be known throughout the land that the government were resolved to proclaim the National League, though Lord Hartington and his party would have preferred a different course, and that the Government had not thereby lost his support or confidence, but had established a fresh claim to his respect. Lord Hartington, in a letter defining his political position, denies that he regards home rule as practically won. The depression which seems to exist among the liberal-unionists, he declares, is caused chiefly by the impression which obtains in some quarters that Gladstone has made larger concessions than have really been made, and he knows of no reason why the unionists should relax their efforts.

It is reported on the Stock Exchange that a new Russian loan of £600,000 has been negotiated in Paris.

DUBLIN, Aug. 27.—The Lord Mayor of London arrived in this city yesterday.

ROME, Aug. 27.—The Pope has resolved to appoint a special commission to consider the reports made by Mgr. Persico of his mission to Ireland.

MADRID, Aug. 27.—Dispatches from Cuba say that popular demonstrations are being held to express indignation at the government's action in dismissing General Salamanca from the captain generalcy. Riots are feared.

SOFIA, Aug. 27.—Prince Ferdinand has received telegrams from both the Sultan and Czar. The message of the Sultan is moderate in tone, but states that the Prince's assumption of the Bulgarian throne was an illegal act and constitutes a breach of the Berlin treaty. The Czar's communication is decidedly imperative. It declares that Russia disapproves of Prince Ferdinand's action and deems it a gross violation of the treaty.

VIENNA, Aug. 27.—Gen. Lawton, the new U. S. Minister to Austria-Hungary, presented his credentials to the Emperor yesterday.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

FAIRMOUNT, Ill., Aug. 27.—The Wabash detectives succeeded until yesterday in keeping quiet an attempted train wrecking near Danville last Wednesday morning. The bridge crossing the Vermilion river is 600 feet long and over 100 feet high, and the approach from the west is down a heavy grade through a deep cut. The watchman employed to examine the bridge and throw the targets as each train passes over, in attending to his duties Wednesday morning, just before the east-bound fast passenger train was due, discovered a piece of railroad iron firmly placed between two ties in such a manner as would have wrecked the first train passing over. It would have been a ghastly wreck, throwing the train filled with passengers down the embankment into the river, 100 feet below. After he removed the obstruction he heard a pistol shot fired below the bridge, which he supposed to have been a signal. Two suspicious looking men had been seen around the bridge during the night, but no trace of them could afterward be found.

Collision.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 27.—A serious accident occurred on the Belt road, in the eastern suburbs of this city, yesterday, which was caused by a collision between a passenger train and a freight train. About thirty persons were on board the passenger train, and all of them were more or less injured. Ten of them were so seriously hurt that they had to be brought to the city in carriages. Two of the persons injured were badly hurt internally. W. L. Potts was thrown from his seat in the car on to a barbed wire fence along the side of the railroad track. The accident was caused by the watch of the engineer of the freight engine being four minutes slow.

Fight with Indians.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 27.—The Republican's Glenwood Springs special says: Bernstein, who lives about four miles below Meeker, is just in. A battle has taken place between Kendall's men and a band of Indians. Deputy Sheriff Jack Ward is killed and several are wounded. Several Indians are reported killed. Several were seen to fall and to be carried off the field. So far as known the fight was stopped by darkness, and it is thought will certainly be resumed by daylight.

Death of an Old Lady.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Nancy Jackson Farwell, the mother of U. S. Senator Charles B. Farwell and John V. Farwell, died at Sterling, Ill., yesterday at the age of 90 years. She was born January 11, 1797, and was a native of New York. She was a woman of vigorous intellect and marked originality. The funeral will be held to-morrow at Sterling and the remains brought here on Monday and deposited in Graceland Cemetery.

The President's Proposed Trip.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—President and Mrs. Cleveland on their arrival here Saturday evening, October 1, will proceed immediately to the residence of Mayor D. E. Francis, where guests they will take until Monday morning, when they will take quarters in one of the hotels. The President and wife will spend Sunday, October 9, in Madison, Wis., the guests of Secretary Vilas, and will be the guests of ex-Senator Howell F. Jackson, at Nashville, Tenn., on Sunday, October 10.

Sentence Commuted.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 27.—Governor Richardson has commuted the sentence of Oxy Cherry, the 12 year old girl convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged in September, to imprisonment in the penitentiary for 5 years. The Governor received a large number of communications from the North and Northwest, pleading for mercy for the child and asking that he would not allow a bloody stain to be put upon South Carolina and the United States by the hanging of an infant. He made a thorough examination of the case and could find nothing but evidence of premeditated murder. The girl was convicted of killing a two-year old white child by administering a dose of concentrated lye. The Governor appealed to the judge who passed sentence for his recommendation. The judge replied that a case of murder had been made out but that on account of the tender age of the girl he thought she should not be hanged but should be imprisoned for a term of years.

Suicide.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 27.—Samuel Sparks, a once wealthy man, ended his life with a dose of poison yesterday on account of his loss of fortune. His wife tried to keep his suicide becoming public and after much difficulty procured a burial permit without giving the real cause of death. The coroner learned of the matter in time to stop the ceremonies at the grave, and with mourning relatives and friends surrounding him conducted an inquest, after which he assisted in the last sad rites.

Libel Suit.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—A local paper says: Matthew W. Pinkerton instituted suit yesterday in the District Court against Wm. A. Pinkerton, of Pinkerton's National Detective Agency, to recover \$50,000 for alleged libel. The suit is brought on account of an article in a Chicago paper of the 17th, in which "Billy" Pinkerton expressed to a reporter his opinion of his rival. There are already two or three similar suits pending between the parties, some of which may be heard next month.

Earthquake Shocks.

COLUMBIA, S. C., August 27.—A little after 12 o'clock this morning an earthquake shock occurred here, accompanied by the usual roar and lasting some seconds. At 4:56 o'clock a second and heavier shock was felt. The motion was undulating.

Fire.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—Fire destroyed the Hotel building last night. The building was occupied by the St. Leon water company; Geo. Hart, coal merchant; the business and printing offices of the Montreal Herald; J. Stewart & Co., auctioneers, and the Montreal Steam Laundry Co. Loss, \$125,000; insured.

Jacob Sharp's Condition.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—There is no change in the condition of Jacob Sharp this morning. He was quite restless last night. He still seems to be quite indifferent as to Judge Potter's decision in his favor, and to Gov. Hill's action in calling for immediate argument of the stay of proceedings.

Gov. Bartlett's Condition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Gov. Bartlett continues to grow weaker, and his attendants believe his life will not last more than 24 hours.

NEW EASY LAWN MOWERS, Garden Hoes, Rakes, Trowels, Ladies' Garden Sets, Grass Cutters and all other reasonable goods at lowest cash prices. JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, ang30 Alexandria, Va.

LONDON PURPLE.

Just received a fresh supply at J. C. MILBURN & CO'S.

75 BELLS CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, best known brands, bought before the advance, for sale low by J. C. MILBURN.

FLOWER POTS.—Just received a lot of Flower Pots, assorted sizes, neat and durable, with or without saucers, at J. C. MILBURN & CO'S.

IF YOU CANNOT SEE and cannot find any SPECTACLES to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT'S and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble. nov20

SQUARE, OCTAGON AND FLAT CAST STEEL will be sold at 88 King street, corner of Royal, at a greatly reduced price. Quality warranted. [oct28] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

ENAMELED PRESERVING KETTLES, Cherry Seeders and Fruit Presses, wholesale and retail at 88 King, corner Royal street, by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

TOMATO CATSUP, Chow Chow, Mixed Mustard and Mixed Pickles in bulk, for sale in quantities to suit by J. C. MILBURN.

PANTS CUT, patent-tanned and reinforced-seat DREWERS, made from best pergal drill, at my12 AMOS B. SLAYMAKERS.

STRICTLY PURE GROUND SPICES received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

FLOUR.—Superlative, Crystal, Triumph, New South, Henroon and Tenney Flour for sale low by [dec3] J. C. MILBURN.

75 BELLS CHOICE NEW YORK BEANS received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE FLORIDA AND MESSINA ORANGES for sale low by J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH ITALIAN MACARONI, Breakfast Ham, lard and New York Beans just received, oct20 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

BASKETS—A full line of covered and open Baskets for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

LARGE CANS TOMATOES, Nanticoke brand, for sale at 10c each by J. C. MILBURN.

FANCY NEW VIRGINIA HONEY, in 1-lb packages, just received at J. C. MILBURN.

DRIED PEACHES, APPLES, PEARS, AND Cherries, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

DRIED CORN, Dried Green Peas, B. E. Peas, Hominy and Beans for sale low by J. C. MILBURN.

RUBBER DRESSING COMBS, a fine assortment from the cheapest to the best grades, at my14 AMOS B. SLAYMAKERS.

FOR GOOD FLOUR TRY THE POTOMAC. For sale only at J. C. MILBURN'S.

GREEN GINGER AND NEW MACKEREL just received by J. C. MILBURN.